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This editor has a number of personal and political friends in Holt county and in talking with them we find that without an exception they are loud in their praise of S. B. Howard, fusion nominee for state treasurer. The gentleman is one of the most successful farmers and stock raisers of that section of the state. He is a man of strict integrity, and is blessed with a good education which well fits him for the discharge of his duties of the important office to which he is sure to be elected in November. To our friends who are not acquainted with Mr. Howard we would say that he is worthy of your most enthusiastic support.—Howells Journal.

C. H. Dietrich, republican candidate for governor has blessed us with his presence and passed on to conquer the rest of the state. We have a great deal of sympathy for Charlie, as he actually believes he will be the next governor. The party who pumped him full of such nonsense is no doubt chuckling at the effort the candidate is making to convince some one else of the same thing. "Charlie" is probably all right in his business, but his business is not managing the affairs of a state of Nebraska's size and importance. That and 2 per cent are altogether dissimilar.—Joyd County Register.

The Philippines cost us \$186,000, 000 and 2,300 soldiers, to say nothing of the \$20,000,000 we gave Spain. The trade that costs so much must be something wonderful in its proportions. Is 10 per cent a good margin of profit? If it is we must do \$18,000,000 worth of business with the Philippines before we are reimbursed for the money already spent there. And no amount of business can ever pay us for the thousands of American soldiers who have been sacrificed on the altars of imperialism and commercialism.—Omaha World-Herald.

JEFFERSONIAN WISDOM.

Honest friendship with all nations, entangling alliances with none, I deem (one of) the essential principles of our government and, consequently, (one) which ought to shape its administration.

Conquest is not in our principles. It is inconsistent with our government.

We did not raise armies for glory or for conquest.

To take part in European conflicts would be to divert our energies from creation to destruction.

How easily we prescribe for others a cure for their difficulties, when we cannot cure our own.

If we can prevent the Government from wasting the labors of the people, under pretence of taking care of them, they must become happy.

It is the people's sweat which is to pay the expenses of the war, and their blood which is to flow in expiation of the causes of it.

Ask R. Anderson about that Woodman's windmill. Guaranteed and all repairs furnished free for 5 years. Best on the market.

AGAINST ALLIANCE.

Address adopted at the suggestion of Judge M. V. Cannon at the annual meeting of the United Irish Societies at Sunnyside Park in Chicago, August 15th last:

"Within the year freedom has received desperate blows at the hands of the nations who claim to be wedded to Liberty, and we regret to say that the foreign policy of our own American Republic has exhibited a desire on the part of our government to share in the seizure of territory, which is the distinguishing mark of the nation that throttled Liberty upon this continent, burned its capitol at Washington, destroyed its archives and set the merciless Indian savages upon defenseless women and children, scalping, burning and destroying them.

"We are unalterably opposed to any alliance, tacit or open, with any European monarchy, particularly ours and America's bitter foe, and shall resist in every practical and legal way the imposition of imperialism and militarism upon a people consecrated to freedom; and in this spirit, and with an abiding trust in the good sense and patriotism of the vast body of the American people, we commit, as far as we may, the fortunes of the Republic of America to the strength and determination of citizens born on American soil and aided by those sons from other lands who sought here a refuge from open tyranny, judicial misconstruction and military exaction."

OPENING OF MR. BRYAN'S SPEECH.

Mr. Bryan spoke as follows: "I do not want you to think that my happiness depends upon any public office within the gift of the people of this country. I have a higher ambition than to be President. (Great applause.) "The man whose happiness depends upon what others do for him may be doomed to disappointment; but if one's happiness depends upon what he does for others, he need not be disappointed. (Renewed applause.) I hope you will credit me with the ambition that is within the reach of every citizen of this land, an ambition which all can entertain, and which, to my mind, is a higher ambition than that for any office, and that is an ambition to do what I can to make this nation so great and so good that to be a simple citizen would be greater than to be a king in any other land. (Great applause.)

"The object of my speech is a practical one. I want to use this occasion to point to a great lesson. I believe the fact that this nation has here the representatives of all of the races of Europe gives it a peculiar advantage among the nations. The fact that the best blood of all the civilized nations mingle here in the development of the American character enables this nation to turn on every question the light of universal history and avoid the dangers from which other nations have suffered. (Applause.) When a problem arises in this country we can look back and find what has been the experience of others. If we knew the history of our own people only we would not be so well prepared to detect danger before we suffer from it, but if any one does not know the growth of landlordism and its dangers, he has only to ask an Irishman what landlordism means, and he need not read history to find it out. (Great applause.) If any one wants to know whether an alien government is good, all he has to do is to ask an Irishman what his opinion is of an alien government, although the governing power be separated from the governed only by a narrow channel. (Applause.)

"If you want to know what militarism means and what its burdens are, all you have to do is to ask a German who came to this country to avoid the militarism of the Old World. (Applause.)

"When we speak against imperialism or protest against wars of conquest, they say that we are pleading the cause of the Filipino. I deny it. No matter what becomes of the Filipino, the world will go on; but when this nation puts out its light, then unto what nation can struggling humanity look for hope and inspiration?"

Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Towne also made excellent speeches and there is no doubt but that Bryan and Stevenson will receive the support of the Irish in Chicago. Prospects are bright in New York and the election of Bryan is almost a certainty. Democracy is combined all over the east and there will undoubtedly be a landslide for the Democratic party this year.

C. H. Dietrich is afraid to get out and discuss the issues of this campaign from the rostrum—he wants to shake hands with the people and kiss their babies—a most cowardly method of vote getting, but the only means left for republican office hunters as they are afraid to openly discuss the issues in this campaign.—Holt County independent.

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A WARNING

London, Aug. 15.—(Copyright, 1900, by W. R. Hearst.)—Henry Labouchere says in his paper, Truth, to-day:

"Were I an American I would vote for Mr. Bryan in the coming election. I do not believe in bimetalism, but regard it as a pious opinion having nothing to do with practical politics.

"I would vote for Bryan because he is more democratic than his opponent. Bryan's crusade against trusts means that he objects to plutocrats ruling the country in their own interests. His opposition to the entering on a scramble for outside territory is merely the doctrine which, until within a few years, was held by every American.

"It is this doctrine which has made the United States so prosperous

"Capitalists and imperialists are actuated by the same aim. They want to divert attention from the maintenance of democracy at home by flaunting before their country the glory of an increasing area of empire. Semi-civilized lands acquired by the sword are, at their best, hunting fields.

"Never yet has a people or nation benefitted by such acquisitions. Imperialism has made our plutocrats our masters for the nonce. They will remain the masters until imperialism is expelled.

"The Americans have an excellent Constitution but it won't stand the strain of military adventure abroad."

COST OF THE WAR.

As nearly as figures can express it, the cost to the United States of the war in the Philippines has been \$180, 678,000 in cash and at least 2,394 lives of American soldiers.

The war with Spain ended and that with the Philippines began on February 1, 1899. This date can be used in calculating the expenditure in money, although it was not until February 4 that hostilities with Aguinaldo and his followers really began, and it was not until February 6 that the treaty of peace with Spain was ratified.

The total of deaths given is compiled from a report made by the Secretary of War in reply to a resolution passed by the Senate and from General MacArthur's death and casualty lists since the date covered by that report—May 24, 1900—up to and including August 11.

OASIS.

Roy Betts was in this locality last Sunday.

Mustang Charley and a crowd of young would-be's went out for a ride on the trail last Sunday.

Murrah for Bryan! More rain more rest—

More democrats out in the West.

Rev. Baker preached at the Rush Lake school house last Sunday.

J. C. Rounds was in this vicinity last week looking for hay hands.

R. Johnson and G. Snare made a horse trade the fore part of the week.

A wild west broncho was rode at the Y bar ranch last Sunday by a cracker-jack would-be on a Montgomery saddle and a snaffle bit. First pass—The horse walked around the rider. Second pass, the rider got on, and third pass, the horse walked off as all buck skin horses do.

Who was it said that I said that he said that you said it?

After an absence of two weeks we have decided that a few quills should be fired at some one by PORCUPINE.

GALLOP.

Mrs. J. B. Sones was a Merriman visitor last Monday.

George Hill went to Gordon last Tuesday to celebrate the arrival of that big boy at his home. George says he has plenty of help to put up hay without hiring anyone.

Miss Metta Cady is home on a visit. Grandma Adams is staying with Mrs. George Hill for a few days.

Alvin Thayer was visiting on the river last Sunday.

A strong wind struck a small frame house on Henry Ganow's homestead last week and scattered it all over the valley.

Grant Oviger and family visited Geo. Hill and family last Sunday.

Mrs. Lem Sawtell and children and Miss Fanny Webster visited at Mrs. Sawtell's father's, L. W. Cady, last Sunday.

CRANK.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. It is a god send to weak, sickly, run-down people. Cure guaranteed. Only 50c. Sold at Elliott's drugstore.

A TRIBUTE.

Frances M. Carpenter was born in Troy, New York, on August 20, 1828, and died August 22, 1900, in the afternoon, at about 5 o'clock. Age 72 years and 2 days.

Mrs. Carpenter was raised in the state of New York and was united in marriage to John M. Carpenter on June 20th, 1849, and walked together as husband and wife more than fifty years. Into this union were born three children, all of whom survive her. Her husband preceded her in death seven months and seventeen days.

She and her husband moved from York state about the year 1854 and settled in Jo Daviess county, Ill. In 1865 the family went to Iowa and lived there until the spring of 1883 when they came to Nebraska and located in Cherry county, being among the early settlers in this part of the state.

For several years she was a member of the Congregational Church and on coming west she never severed her relationship with that branch of the Christian church.

Both she and her husband were industrious, hard-working people and for their honesty and integrity in their dealings with their fellow beings they were universally esteemed by all who knew them.

As a mother she was kind and good to her family, always having their welfare at heart, and was a true and obliging neighbor.

She was ailing for about 21 months previous to her decease, during which time she received the very best care and treatment that loving relatives and friends could minister or provide for her comfort and rest.

The relatives have the heartfelt sympathy and condolence of the entire community in the hour of their affliction and bereavement.

The funeral was from the residence of William Pettyerew, her son-in-law, where she had been living with her daughter since the death of Mr. Carpenter last winter. A goodly number of old settlers, friends and neighbors were present. The services were conducted by the pastor of the M. E. church, the choir singing "Rock of Ages," "By Cool Siloams," "Shady Rills," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and at the grave sang "Nearer My God to Thee," after which the remains were interred in the cemetery west of town.

REV. A. F. CUMBO.

Valentine, August 23, 1900.

To all who assisted in the last sad rites to the memory of our mother we extend our sincere thanks.

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Ell	P Sullivan	Cody
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Irwin	G W Irwin	Gordon
Kewanee	Wm J Allen	Pt Niobrara
Kennedy	W H Kennedy	Kennedy
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Lavaca	Ed Valentine	Gordon
Merriman	Wm Beamer	Gordon
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Pleasant Hill	G W Kellar	Compton
Sparks	J H Sears	Sparks
Siebel	Rolt Fletcher	Brownlee
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Table	John Britt	Britt
Valentine	E Brunklander	Valentine
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	MARK CYPHERS, Sec-Treas.	

If you have a baby in the house you will wish to know the best way to check any unusual looseness of the bowels, or diarrhoea so common to small children. O. P. M. Holliday, of Deming, Ind., who has an eleven months' old child, says: "Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach. His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." For sale by Quigley & Chapman, druggists.

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C JENSEN

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JOE ROOKS JR,

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F on left hip of horses.

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Charles C. Tackett
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